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To whom this may concern,

I am writing to express my absolute disgust at the proposal to force us into the corrupt banking system. To suggest the crime this bill is trying to eliminate somehow comes from wage earners and the average person on the street is laughable.

We know where the majority of the real crime is committed by top end money launderers, Banks and corporations with clever accounting firms hiding millions of dollars from governments.

I work for a technology company and know how easy it is for data to be corrupted and stolen. Cash is the only backup innocent people will have if rouge governments get out of control, and peoples identities are stolen.

Australia is continually having its civil liberties eroded and this is a step to far.

No doubt this is a plot for bail-in bankers and I will not accept this entrapment. I stand against everything this bill is trying to do, and that is enslave the population, its corrupt! The control this Bill would give government over the innocent is not what this country of Australia is built on.

We say no to this Bill – hands off our money!!

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